



Dave Baranski

January 2, 1948 - February 2, 2013

Baranski, David, age 65 of Plymouth, unexpectedly passed Feb 2, 2013, fondly known to many as Mr. B. Dear husband of Sandy. Loving father of Leanne (Tony) Vassallo. Proud Dziadz of Stella and Aidan. Son of the late Stanley & Irene. Dear step-son of Marian Wolfe. Mr. Baranski has operated the GNC Store in Brighton for 18 years and worked as a Regulatory Specialist for Terumo Cardiovascular in Ann Arbor. The family will gather with friends Sat March 16th 12 noon until the 2 PM Memorial Service at Vermeulen Funeral Home, 46401 W Ann Arbor Rd., (btwn Sheldon & Beck) Plymouth. There will be a second Memorial Service in the Chicago area. Date, time and location to be determined.(This website obituary will be updated as soon as details are available.) Proud donor of over 100 pints of blood, memorial contributions may be made to American Red Cross, 4624 Packard, Ann Arbor, MI 48108 or Gift of Life, 3861 Research Park Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48108. To share a memory, please use the View and Send Codolences tab on this web page.

Tribute Wall



“ *Dave Baranski*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Dear Sandy, I am one of Ed GoodSmith's daughters. We are so sorry to hear of your loss. If you could contact me at the above e-mail address, I can update you on Dad. Thank you, Laurie Robertson*

Laurie Robertson - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM



“ *Sorry to hear of the passing of my fellow classmate. May God be with you all and my condolences go out to all of the family members.*

Sharon Irons - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM



“ *Dear Sandy, I was so shocked to hear of your beloved David's sudden passing my deepest condolences to you and your children. David and I grew up together and I always had a special place in my heart for such a great fellow. The e-mail from Bloom High mentioned a memorial service in Chicago I hope to be able to attend I will watch for the date.*

Anne Michalowski Osburn - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

D6

“ *The trait I remember about Dave was his conscientiousness. Great tributes shared from other friends and relatives. Hearing about his untimely death this morning saddens me and reminds me of the fleetingness of all our lives. Best wishes Sandy!*

Donald Mier Bloom High School Class of 65 - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

DS

“ *Dear Sandy and Family, you are in our prayers.*

Diana Focareta Spegon - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

LP

“ *Sandy and Family, I am so sorry for your loss... Dave was always so positive and such a joy to be around. He was lighthearted and always willing to accommodate others. He loved his family so very much, and he impacted many people. He is and will be missed. Lisa*

Lisa Pray - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

TF

“ *Dear Sandy & Family,
Our thoughts & prayers are with you at the great loss that you have sustained. Dave was a great husband, father, relative, and friend. He will greatly be missed because he really helped to make this world a much better place. He will be truly missed and his passing has left a big hole in our hearts.*

Tom Yuskus & Family - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

GO

“ My dear friend Sandy, Leanne, Tony and family,
Our deepest Sympathy and Love & prayers are with you at his most difficult and painful loss for all of you. May Our dear heavenly Fathers Love & Compassion & Mercy comfort you all. God has promise us all eternal Life so we look to Him for the day we will all be reunited again. Life is short but eternity is forever!!!
God's Blessings,
Love & Hugs,
Barbara

Gary & Barbara Ostrander - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

KN

“ Dear Sandy and family, I am missing Dave at work and mourn at his desk and then feel so selfish knowing the pain you must be in. He was such a wonderful, positive, happy man. He truly made me a better person for knowing him. He loved all of you so much and shared stories and pictures about you all the time. I never heard him say a negative thing. Thank you for sharing him with many of us at Terumo that call Dave "friend."

Kirsten Nielsen - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

SL

“ Sandy, Leanne, and Tony, please know that my heart is saddened by the loss of Dave and yet very happy to have known him. My prayers are with you that you remember only the happy times and that your grief is not more than you can handle. My love to all of you.

Sheila Lucas - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

MK

“ Dave was a very kind and professional member of the Terumo family; he will be missed. I will keep his family in my prayers.

Michael Kelly - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

AR

“ My condolences to you Sandy, LeAnne, Tony and children. I feel so blessed to have been part of David's life and to have had him in mine. My prayers are with you now and in these days ahead and I greive with you in your loss. David was an extaordinary man which makes me so grateful to have known him. All my love ... Ann

Ann Ramage - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

AD

“ Dear Aunt Sandy, I am at a loss for words. after hearing the saddening news. I could not have asked for a more gracious and giving godfather. He truly led by example, and I have been very blessed to have Uncle David in my life, as well as my childrens'. His spirit will live on in the memories he has given me and my family. We love you all !

Ali Dowell - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

OL

“ Dear Sandy Baranski and Leanne and Tony Vassallo
So sorry Sandy. I am looking forward to seeing you in Florida.
Love Olive

olivecarr - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

BB

“ Dear Sandy and Leanne I was totally shocked to hear of David's passing. He was so full of life to leave us so soon. He was a great godfather to Allison. He will be missed by all who knew him. My thoughts and, especially, my prayers are with you. God Bless.

Bill Bennett - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

KG

“ Dave was one of the first people I met when I arrive at Terumo Heart. He was one the nicest people I've ever met and we were very lucky to have him. He spoke of his grandchildren with so much love in his eyes and his family meant the world to him. Everyone at work had great respect for Dave and he will be missed deeply.

Kim Green - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

MS

“ Sandy & Leanne, We were so very, very sorry to hear about Dave's passing. I know your hearts are absolutely broken and I can't tell you how truly sad we were to learn he is no longer with you. We have such wonderful memories of sharing some of Dave's favorite restaurants in Chicago with all of you! He was a wonderful man, and I want you to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Mary Jane Schoeneman - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

MS

“ I will forever have a special place in my heart for Mr. B and will be forever grateful for being included in Easter dinner each year with him and his family. Love to you all!

Meghan Sokolowski - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

TC

“ To our Beautiful B's- Mr.B will be in our hearts forever. No greater people have ever been brought into our lives! He will be with us with every shot of pool, every shot of Jack and every kindness done for others...just because. We are sending hugs and love!!!!

The Reynolds Crew - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

RF

“ David will be missed. He was a wonderful part of our family. Our hearts go out to Sandy, Leanne, Tony, and your beautiful twin grandchildren. Prayers and hugs from all of us. Rose family

Rose Family - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

RA

“ Sandy and Leanne, My heartfelt condolences to you and the whole family. I was so sorry to hear that we lost Dave. it was much too soon for all of us. He was a good man, and I respected and cared for him. I will remember to exercise my back the way he showed me with his old golf club. If there is anything I can do to make this difficult time easier, please do not hesitate to let me know how I can help.

Rebecca Andersen - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

DH

“ Please accept my heartfelt condolences for the loss of David. You are in my thoughts and I pray for your pain to sway quickly so you can concentrate on the memories of such a wonderful person

David Higham - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

JB

“ Dear Sandy and family, It's never easy to lose someone you love. For us, it even harder to know you lost Dave. During this time of grieving, people will go to the funeral home, attend the wake and meet others who haven't been seen in a while. It is during this time that we say sympathy words and do things that are meant to comfort. It is unfortunate we are not able to attend Dave's memorial gathering, and instead we choose to put our thoughts and wishes of comfort into this message. Tammy and I are so thankful to you and Dave for making this past year one of our most wonderful years, because it has been one year since John met Dave. Dave made our move to Las Vegas full of excitement, because of his ties to this “bright light city in desert”. Dave made the accomplishments at work more meaningful, knowing that he and John were aligned in their approach with their duties as medical device regulatory associates. We should have known each other longer, but we are so glad to have shared our evening together; laughing, sharing a ‘Gentlemen’s Jack’, talking about golf and billiards, and sharing memories of raising a family. We will always cherish our photograph with you, and especially smile each time we gaze at the photo of Dave eating his White Castle. All our love to you.

John and Tammy Beasley - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

TL

“ Dear Sandy, Leanne and Tony,
We were shocked to hear about David. Our hearts are breaking along with yours. He was taken way too soon. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Mom always said he was so sweet to Aunt Evelyn and any man who loves his mother in law deserves a special place in heaven. David was always a special person and we know how much you miss him already. Even though we live far away, if there is any way we can help you, please let us know.
Love,
Tom and Linda

Tom and Linda Lakars - December 12, 2014 at 10:13 AM

DP

“ Sandy, Leanne and Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. Please know that Dave touched many people with his thoughtfulness and smile. We were all fortunate to have him in our lives. His life provides an example for us all. Please know that he spoke fondly of all of you everyday -- he loved being Dziadz!
Sincerely, Doralie

Doralie Poganski - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

AP

“ Dearest Sandy, Your loss is so regretful. I too share very much in Dave's passing. My beloved John died at 57 years old, so I do know the depth and breadth of the sorrow we shall share until we meet them again. Know that my prayers and love is with you and your family. Andrea L. Potokar

Andrea L. Potokar - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

SK

“ Thoughts and prayers to the family during this difficult time. Sending out a GREAT, GREAT BIG HUG TO MRS. B.

SCOTT K. - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM

PP

“ Sandy and family - This is the same smile Dave has had for all of the 40 years I've known you two, it will be greatly missed; however, we have all been lucky enough to have him in our lives. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Penny Pugh - December 12, 2014 at 10:12 AM